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<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> <b>For FY 2005</b>		Application Number	09/880,748-Conf. #5654
		Filing Date	June 15, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Steven M. Ruben
		Examiner Name	P. A. Duffy
		Art Unit	1645
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Attorney Docket No.	PF523P1
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**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims**   **Extra Claims**   **Fee (\$)**   **Fee Paid (\$)**   **Multiple Dependent Claims**

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**Indep. Claims**   **Extra Claims**   **Fee (\$)**   **Fee Paid (\$)**

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**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

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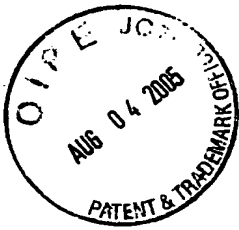
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**4. OTHER FEE(S)**   **Fees Paid (\$)**

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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 – EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1645**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Ruben et al.

Docket No.: PF523P1

Application No.: 09/880,748

Confirmation No.: 5654

Filed: June 15, 2001

Art Unit: 1645

For: Antibodies That Immunospecifically Bind to B  
Lymphocyte Stimulator Protein (as amended)

Examiner: P. A. Duffy

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 4, 2005, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Applicants submit concurrently herewith:

- (a) Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 by Rodger Smith with Exhibits C, D, and F-M;
- (b) Substitute Specification;
- (c) Marked up Version of the Substitute Specification;
- (d) Image File Wrapper Evaluation for Application No. 09/880,748 as of August 3, 2005 with Attachments 1-3; and
- (e) A Fee Transmittal Sheet.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 9.